Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):*

(*a*) The work of the Irrigation Board is to advise the Government about Irrigation problems.

(*b*)

	1114			1115 (up-to 8-11-1115)		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Cochin-Kanayannur group	41	0	0	56	9	0
Chittur do.	25	14	0	20	4	0
Trichur do.	252	7	0	257	4	0
	319	5	0	334	1	0

ELECTRIFICATION SCHEME—EXTENSION TO TATTAMANGALAM

74. Mr. T. S. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Chittur):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether the area covered by the Tattamangalam Municipality also was not included in the original scheme of electrification in Chittur;

(*b*) if so, why the line has not been extended to Tattamangalam;

(*c*) is it not a fact that the line has now been extended up to the Boys' High School, Chittur;

(*d*) what is the distance from the said High School to the Tattamangalam town limits;

(*e*) what will be the probable expenditure for electrifying Tattamangalam also;

(*f*) will not the electrification of Tattamangalam also increase the return to the Government from the Chittur electrification scheme;

(*g*) will the Government be pleased to take immediate steps to extend the line to Tattamangalam and electrify the same?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Subsequently, Tattamangalam was separated from the Chittur Municipality, and the electrification was confined to the Chittur area alone, for the time being.

(*c*) Yes; but only a single phase line just to serve the school.

(*d*) About 2 miles.

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(e) At pre-war prices, the extension was estimated to cost Rs. 25,000.

(f) Consequent on the difficulty in obtaining suitable electrical goods and the present-day increased price for them, it was thought advisable to postpone all extensions. It is doubtful if the net revenue will justify the extension at increased cost.

(g) (See answer to sub-division) (f) above.

DRILLING EXPERIMENTAL BORE-HOLES, NEMMARA—WORK DONE

75. Mr. T. V. Subramania Ayyar *(Nemmara):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

What are the works done by the Government till now in Nemmara by way of drilling experimental bore-holes for which a provision of Rs. 1,000 has been made in this year's budget *(Vide Appendix A, Page XXIX, Serial No. 623, Final Budget)*

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon *(Chief Engineer):* The boring at Thiruvazhiyad has been started and has gone to a depth of 76′ in rock. It is being continued.

Voting of Demands for Grants

14—General Administration—Rs. 1,57,651

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon *(Secretary to Government):* I rise to move for a grant of Rs. 1,57,651 under "14 General Administration". I request that the House may be pleased to grant the allotment.

Cut Motion No. 1

Representation to Arayas in the menial service

Mr. C. K. S. Moni *(Nominated):* Sir, I move *to reduce the allotment of Rs. 83,028 for Huzur Secretariat Establishment by Re. 1.*

(To request the Government that proper representation be given to Arayas in menial service)

സർ, ഇതു മതിരി ഒരു ഉപക്ഷേപം ഈ സഭയിൽ അവതരിപ്പിക്കുവാൻ എന്നെ പ്രേരിതനാക്കിയതിൽ എനിക്കു് അതിയായ സങ്കടമുണ്ടു്. ദിവാൻ പ്രസിഡണ്ടവർകളുടെ സുപ്രസിദ്ധമായ മലയാള പ്രസംഗം, മെമറായിൽ വെച്ചു ചെയ്ത ആ പ്രസംഗം കൊച്ചിരാജ്യത്തിലെ അവൽ സമുദായങ്ങൾക്കെല്ലാം ഒന്നാകെ സന്തോഷത്തിനു വകയുണ്ടാക്കീട്ടുള്ള കനാ

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